

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the application of:

Chihiro Uchibori

Group Art Unit: 2825

Serial Number: 09/648,750

Examiner: G. Lee

Filed: August 28, 2000

Attorney Docket No. 108077-00000

For: METAL INTERCONNECTION, SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, METHOD FOR FORMING METAL INTERCONNECTION AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: July 28, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for two (2) months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 26, 2003 from May 26, 2003 to July 26, 2003. Attached is our check in the amount of \$410.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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